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Title : Apparatus, Systems and Methods for Online, Multi-Parcel,
Multi-Carrier, Multi-Service Parcel Returns Shipping
Management

Grp./Div. : 2161
Examiner : Not yet assigned

Docket No. : PSTM0042/MRK

**LETTER IN RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO
FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION**

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

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August 8, 2001

Commissioner:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application dated May 8, 2001, enclosed are:

1. Copy of Notice to File Missing Parts of Application.
2. A Petition for Extension of Time.
3. Extension of Time fee of **\$110.00**.
4. Check for **\$6,482.00**, including the filing fee (\$6352.00) and surcharge (\$130.00) for a large entity.
5. Executed Declaration and Power of Attorney.
6. An Assignment of the invention with the Recordation Form Cover Sheet in a separate envelope addressed to Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks, Box Assignments Washington, D.C. 20231, along with our check for \$40.00.
7. Formal Figures in compliance with 37 C.F.R. 1.84.

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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required during the **pendency** of this application to Deposit Account No.501574. Please show our docket number with any charge or credit to our Deposit Account. **A copy of this letter is enclosed.**

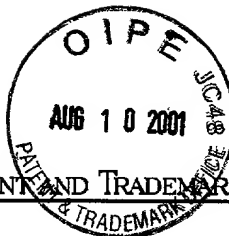
Respectfully submitted,

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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

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FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

01 FC:401 710.00 OP
02 FC:403 2682.00 OP
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04 FC:405 130.00 OP

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
Applicant must submit \$ 710 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$5642.
 - \$2682 for 149 total claims over 20.
 - \$2960 for 37 independent claims over 3 .
- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 6482.

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
 - drawing sheets do not have the appropriate margin(s) (see 37 CFR 1.84(g)). Each sheet must include a top margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a left side margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a right side margin of at least 1.5 cm. (5/8 inch), and a bottom margin of at least 1.0 cm. (3/8 inch);

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